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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Patent Application of: Paola BELLONI et al.

Confirmation No.: 6581

Serial No.: 09/802,275

Art Unit: 2875

Filed: March 8, 2001

Examiner: Sharon E. Payne

Title: LIGHTING SYSTEM

**TRANSMITTAL**

The Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in response to the Office Action dated March 31, 2006 for the above-identified Application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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**RESPONSE**

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In response to the Office action mailed March 31, 2006, the Applicant submits the following amendment and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on Page 12 of this paper.